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submissions via the Internet, on electronic media or via other electronic means.

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## § 375.303 Delegations to the Chief Accountant.

The Commission authorizes the Chief Accountant or the Chief Accountant's designee to:

- (a) Sign all correspondence with respect to financial accounting and reporting matters on behalf of the Commission.
- (b) Pass upon actual legitimate original cost and depreciation thereon and the net investment in jurisdictional companies and revisions thereof.
- (c) Issue interpretations of the Uniform Systems of Accounts for public utilities and licensees, centralized service companies, natural gas companies and oil pipeline companies.
- (d) Pass upon any proposed accounting matters submitted by or on behalf of jurisdictional companies that require Commission approval under the Uniform Systems of Accounts, except that if the proposed accounting matters involve unusually large transactions or unique or controversial features, the Chief Accountant must present the matters to the Commission for consideration.
- (e) Pass upon applications to increase the size or combine property units of jurisdictional companies.
- (f) Deny or grant, in whole or in part, motions for extension of time to file, or requests for waiver of the requirements of the following forms, data collections, and reports: Annual Reports (Form Nos. 1, 1–F, 2, 2–A, and 6); Quarterly Reports (Form Nos. 3–Q and 6–Q); Annual Report of Centralized Service Companies (Form No. 60); Narrative Description of Service Company Functions (FERC-61); Report of Transmission Investment Activity (FERC-730); and Electric Quarterly Reports, as

well as, where required, the electronic filing of such information (§385.2011 of this chapter, Procedures for filing on electronic media, paragraphs (a)(6), (c), and (e)).

- (g) Provide notification if a submitted Annual Report (Form Nos. 1, 1-F, 2, 2-A, and 6), Quarterly Report (Form Nos. 3-Q and 6-Q), Annual Report of Centralized Service Companies (Form No. 60), Narrative Description of Service Company Functions (FERC-61), Report of Transmission Investment Activity (FERC-730), or Electric Quarterly Report fails to comply with applicable statutory requirements, and with all applicable Commission rules, regulations, and orders for which a waiver has not been granted, or, when appropriate, notify a party that a submission is acceptable.
- (h) Deny or grant, in whole or in part, requests for waiver of the requirements of parts 352, 356, 367 and 368 of this chapter, except that, if the matters involve unusually large transactions or unique or controversial features, the Chief Accountant must present the matters to the Commission for consideration.

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## § 375.304 Delegations to the Chief Administrative Law Judge.

- (a) The Commission authorizes the Chief Administrative Law Judge and the Administrative Law Judge designated by the Chief Administrative Law Judge to exercise the power granted to a Presiding Officer by part 385, particularly §385.504 of this chapter.
- (b) The Commission authorizes the Chief Administrative Law Judge to
- (1) For those proceedings pending under subpart E of part 385 of this chapter:
- (i) Consolidate for hearing two or more proceedings on any or all issues,
- (ii) Sever two or more proceedings or issues in a proceeding,
- (iii) Designate and substitute presiding officers, and
- (iv) Extend any close or record date ordered by the Commission in a proceeding for good cause, and